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1. DURING COURSE OF AMBASSADOR'S FAREWELL CALL ON FONOFF SECRETARY GENERAL, CARLOS GARCIA BEDOYA, HE HAD OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS, INTER ALIA, DISRUPTIVE POLITICAL PROBLEMS WHICH ARE ARISING IN INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCES AND MEETINGS OVER THE PARTICIPATION OF PRG AND GRUNK. NOTING THAT PERU HAD VOTED AFFIRMATIVELY IN FAVOR OF PRG PARTICIPATION IN RECENT LAWS OF WAR CONFERENCE AT GENEVA, AMBASSADOR POINTED OUT THAT CUBA WAS ONLY OTHER LATIN AMERICAN STATE THAT SUPPORTED PRG WHILE OTHERS EITHER OPPOSED, ABSTAINED OR WERE ABSENT. HE ALSO PRESENTED SOME OF THE ARGUMENTATION PRESENTED IN REFTEL WITH SPECIFIC REGARD TO VARIOUS IMPORTANT INTERNATIONAL MEETINGS TO BE CONVENED OVER THE NEXT SEVERAL MONTHS.

2. GARCIA BEDOYA REPLIED THAT PERUVIAN VOTE IN FAVOR OF PRG AT GENEVA SHOULD NOT BE INTERPRETED AS OFFICIAL GOP SUPPORT FOR REGIME. RATIONALE FOR THAT VOTE WAS THAT SINCE PRG INVOLVED IN FIGHTING IN SOUTH EAST ASIA, IT SHOULD BE CONCERNED WITH FORMULATION AND COMMITTED TO LAWS OF WAR WHICH
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EVOLVE FROM CONFERENCE. SEC GEN SAID AMB. ALZAMORA MADE

PERUVIAN POSITION QUITE CLEAR AT TIME IN EXPLAINING GOP
VOTE. WITH REFERENCE TO FORTHCOMING CONFERENCES, SECGEN
SAID SAME CRITERIA WILL APPLY, I.E., GOP WILL SUPPORT THOSE
REGIMES ONLY WHEN THEY CAN MAKE SUBSTANTIVE CONTRIBUTION
WHICH WARRANTS THEIR PARTICIPATION.

3. EMBASSY IS PREPARING AIDE MEMOIRE FOR GARCIA
BEDOYA SUMMARIZING SUBSTANCE OF AMBASSADOR'S APPROACH.
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